

Proclamation

by

Ernie Fletcher
Governor

of the

Commonwealth of Kentucky



To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come:

WHEREAS, On behalf of the citizens of Kentucky, I am pleased to join with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services-Radon Program, Participating Local Health Departments, Western Kentucky University, the University of Kentucky, and the United States Environmental Protection Agency in recognizing January 2005 as Radon Action Month in Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, In recognition that radon is a colorless, odorless, radioactive gas that may threaten the health of our citizens and their families; that radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer in the United States; that testing for radon is simple and inexpensive and identified radon problems can be fixed; and

WHEREAS, The Cabinet for Health and Family Services-Radon Program, Participating Local Health Departments and the United States Environmental Protection Agency are supporting efforts to encourage Kentuckians to test their homes for radon, to have elevated levels of radon reduced, and to reveal the benefits of building radon resistant homes;

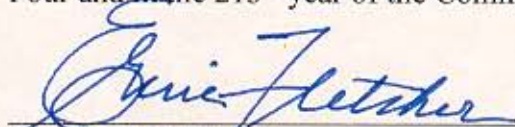
NOW, THEREFORE, I, ERNIE FLETCHER, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby proclaim January 2005, as

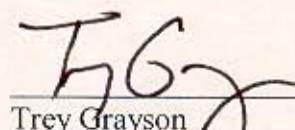
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in Kentucky, and dedicate this month-long observance to focusing attention on the importance of testing for and reducing radon levels in Kentucky homes now and throughout the year.



DONE AT THE CAPITOL, in the City of Frankfort this 9th day of December, in the year of Our Lord Two Thousand Four and in the 213th year of the Commonwealth.


ERNIE FLETCHER
GOVERNOR


Trey Grayson
Secretary of State